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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: Hosston Zone, Reservoir A

Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A

Elm Grove Field

Bossier Parish, Louisiana

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

WSF, Inc. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana:

- 1. To authorize WSF, Inc. to drill, complete and utilize its Caplis 22 No. 5 Well as an additional alternate unit well on HOSS RA SU41, CVRA SU41 and LCV RA SU72 at the exceptional location in Section 22-T16N-R12W, Bossier Parish, Louisiana, shown on the attached plats, which is in lieu of the previously approved location 330' FNL and 1215' FWL of Section 22, which was one of several locations approved by Office of Conservation Order Nos. 361-A-464, 361-B-481, and 361-E-326;
- 2. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and effectively drain a portion of the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, underlying the respective units which cannot be efficiently and effectively drained by any other well;
- 3. To authorize the unit allowable for these Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, units to be recovered from the any of the wells located on the units, at the discretion of the operator; and
- 4. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

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The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier, Webster, and Bienville Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-5, effective May 25, 1977 and subsequent orders of the 361-A Series of Orders.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier, Webster, and Bienville Parishes, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and was further defined by subsequent orders of the 361-B Series of Orders.

The Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier, Webster, and Bienville Parishes, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996.

The subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a Pre-Application Notice.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party, from Ms. Mary Jo Dixon, 7130 South Lewis Avenue, Suite 700, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136, at telephone number (918) 499-1320.

The attached list includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search and a copy of this application, with plats attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Also enclosed are the application fees.

Yours very truly,

COOK, YANCEY, KING & GALLOWAY

William Floring COUNTY

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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties Ms. Mary Jo Dixon

Mr. Craig Barclay





